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(57) Abstract: A method for designing a redox flow battery system. Decrease in the system efficiency during charging/discharging due to a weak generated power or the load power is prevented without using a lead acid storage and thereby the system efficiency is enhanced. A power generator the power generation output of which varies irregularly is provided with a redox flow battery to smoothen the power generation output. The means value and the standard deviation of the battery output distribution to the smoothened power generation output are determined. At least one of the rated output of the battery and that of a converter that converts the battery output is determined on the basis of the standard deviation.

(57) 要約: 鉛蓄電池を用いることなく微弱な発電電力や負荷電力による充放電時のシステム効率を低下させず、か つシステム効率をより向上できるレドックスフロー電池システムの設計方法を提供する。本発明は、発電出力が不 規則変動する発電装置にレドックスフロ一電池を具えて発電出力を平滑化する。前配平滑化された発電出力に対す る電池の出力分布の平均値と標準偏差を求める。そして、電池の規定出力及び電池の出力を変換する変換器の規定 出力の少なくとも一方を前配標準偏差に基づいて決定する。

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